Amendment No. 1 to SB1560

Kelsey Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1560

House Bill No. 1472*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 32-1-104, is amended by designating existing language as subsection (a) and adding the following as a new subsection (b):

(b) For any will executed before July 1, 2016, if the witness signatures are only on a self-proving affidavit incorporated in a will on which the testator's signature is on the actual will in accordance with subsection (a), the witness signatures shall be considered signatures to the will if necessary to prove the will's execution; provided, that the language of the self-proving affidavit contains all the elements of a will attestation clause and the witness signatures meet the requirements of subsection (a).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to wills executed prior to July 1, 2016, if the will has not undergone final settlement without appeal or final settlement after conclusion of appeal.